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FIFTEEN DAYS WITHOUT ANY SOLID FOOD.

ALVIN W. HOLT OF EAST OAKLAND BELIEVES HE HAS DISCOVERED THE SECRET OF LONG LIFE—HE EXPECTS TO LIVE 100 YEARS BY THE NEW PLAN.

Alvin W. Holt, a capitalist of 652 and sought to know if I could add five East Twelfth street, broke a self-imposed fast of fifteen days duration at noon today by partaking of food for the first time in over two weeks.

Mr. Holt, though well-blessed with ample means to indulge an appetite, is a firm believer in the efficiency of fasting as a means of promoting longevity, and his singular denial of gastronomic delights has attracted the attention of local physicians.

His loss during the fast was sixteen pounds, and he expects to gain twenty-five pounds within the next three weeks. His fast is a remarkable one, inasmuch as he did not allow his business interests in San Francisco to suffer and journeyed to the metropolis every morning and made no other change in his usual round of daily routine.

Mr. Holt is 47 years old and expects to live to be 100 years old. This disciple of the famous Dr. Tanner was seen at his home this morning and asked to give an account of his old case. He said:

"I have, during the past several years been trying to discover how long I could exist without bodily nourishment, and my fast just ended has enlightened me very much in regard to my capability of withholding the struggle of matter against mind."

"I fasted ten days in January last."

SHOT HIS MAN THROUGH DOOR.

Tried to Break into a House and Was Shot Down by the Owner.

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Calif., Nov. 4.—Last night at Pismo Beach John Murphy, while in a state of intoxication, attempted to enter the residence of Dan McCarthy. After repeatedly warning Murphy to leave McCarthy fired a lead of bird shot through the door, which took effect in Murphy's groin, inflicting a dangerous wound.

Officers went to arrest McCarthy, who refused to come out of his house until several pistol shots had been fired by the officers.

FOUR ARE DROWNED.

MICHIGAN, Mich., Nov. 4.—Four prominent young men of this village, George W. Levy, Alvin Levy, Abe Carlson and Allen Carlson were drowned last night in Lake Michigan by the capsizing of their boat during a storm.

WILL VOTE IN SAN FRANCISCO TOMORROW

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 4.—The election tomorrow will terminate an extraordinary campaign of much bitterness. Mayor Phelan has declared the day a public holiday as provided for by the charter.

The indications strongly point to the election of Wells to the Mayorship. Within the last few days the relative positions of the candidates have changed. It looks now as if Schmitz would come in third, his vote having heavily slumped to Wells.

The next closest fight is between Pick and Byington for District Attorney, with chances very much in favor of the former.

The chances favor the balance of the candidates of the Republican ticket with the exception of Barry for City and County Attorney, who has hardly a dead man's chance of beating Lane. Plenty of betting money on Wells even against the field is offered with few takers.

CHAIRMAN CROWELL NAMES THE NEW COMMITTEES.

Chairman Clarence Crowell of the Republican County Central Committee this afternoon appointed the various committees as follows:

EXECUTIVE—A. H. BREED, Chairman; GEORGE WALES, G. B. DANIELS, H. N. ROWELL, H. T. HEMPSTEAD.

PRINTING—H. T. HEMPSTEAD, Chairman; THOS. KNOX, J. F. CLOVER.

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WAYS AND MEANS—G. B. DANIELS, Chairman; THEO. F. MOCK, H. E. BRUNNER, W. W. MORRISON, S. N. WYCKOFF, J. B. LANKTREE.

REPUBLICANS CONFIDENT OF WINNING IN EAST.

BOTH SIDES CONFIDENT IN NEW YORK. SMALL VOTE CAMPAIGN IN OHIO SHORT AND QUIET. FOR STATE OF IOWA.

CAMPAIGN IS PRACTICALLY ENDED AND THE LEADERS ARE NOW WAITING FOR THE VOTES TO BE CAST. THERE ARE FIVE TICKETS IN THE FIELD AND THE VOTE WILL BE SPLIT UP—HOW IT LOOKS IN KENTUCKY. REPUBLICAN LEADERS ARE CONFIDENT OF WINNING—A LARGE FALLING OFF IN REGISTRATION THIS YEAR.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—Save for the final effort of marshalling the forces at the polls tomorrow, the municipal campaign is at an end. Both Low and the other candidates for Mayor and the other leaders of the two tickets have made their last speeches, and except for a few scattering meetings there will be no more rallies.

Both sides are determined to bring out the heaviest vote possible and to that end the organizers will devote all of their time until the polls close tomorrow night.

The eve of the election finds both sides apparently confident. The Democrats claim victory for the entire city ticket from 30,000 to 40,000 majority, while the Fusionists advance the same claim. The Fusionists assert that they are certain in the defeat of Robert A. Van Wyck, the present Mayor, who is a candidate for Justice of the Supreme Court. They also express great confidence in Edward A. Groot as Comptroller. Groot was elected President of the borough of Manhattan four years ago as a Democrat. The most hotly contested of all is between Justice Jerome and his opponents.

The weather indications are favorable and there will probably be a heavy vote.

Richard Croker expressed himself as follows: "We are going to win. The figures we gave out last Saturday are conservative. Kings county will give a good majority for Shepard. Shepard will get a large majority in New York county. I am not saying this to boast. All evidence points this way. From top to bottom we will win all the boroughs."

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—President Roosevelt left today at 11 o'clock for Oyster Bay, where he will vote tomorrow. He was accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt, Secretary Cortelyou, Assistant Secretary Loeb and Henry Pinckney, the White House steward.

The party travels in the special car Lucania, attached to the regular Pennsylvania train. They will arrive in New York at 4:15 P. M. The President will go to Oyster Bay, whence he will return to New York immediately after casting his ballot.

Mr. Loeb and Mr. Pinckney, the steward, also will vote at Oyster Bay. Secretary Cortelyou will vote at Hempstead, L. I. Mrs. Roosevelt will remain in New York and will return with the President to Washington tomorrow.

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TRANSIT COMPANY OWES THE CITY LARGE SUMS.

FOR SEVERAL YEARS THE CORPORATION HAS NEGLECTED TO PAY INTO THE CITY TREASURY ONE PER CENT OF ITS GROSS RECEIPTS.

The search for funds to keep the night schools going has resulted in the discovery that the Oakland Transit Company has for several years neglected to pay into the City Treasury semi-annually one per cent of the gross receipts of several of their lines, as required by their respective franchises. What the amount of the delinquency is cannot be stated, but it is considerable enough at least to keep the evening schools open.

The lines delinquent are the Grove street line, which runs along Eighth, Washington, Fourteenth and Grove streets, and also on Sixteenth street, and the road to East Oakland and Alameda along Eleventh street.

The only road that has continuously complied in good faith with the terms of its franchise in this respect is the Oakland, San Leandro and Hayward under its previous management, which regularly filed sworn statements and paid in one per cent of the gross receipts inside the city limits as required by the terms of its franchise.

The last payment by the Grove street line was March 31, 1898, when a sworn statement was filed of the gross receipts of the system inside the city limits for the previous six months was a little over \$3,800, on which a tribute over \$38 was paid. Compared with previous statements, this one showed a falling off. Indeed, the statements show that the business of the company steadily declined from the start—for tax paying purposes.

The last payment on account of the Highland Park line was for the year 1897, when the sworn statement showed that the entire gross receipts for the year were only \$27, on which \$2.70 was paid.

The Eleventh street line has never filed a statement or paid a dollar. The Transit Company has treated the provision of its franchises requiring the payment into the City Treasury of one per cent of the gross receipts as a dead letter. For nearly four years it has not paid a cent on account of any of its lines and made no sworn statements as the basis for collecting the percentage due the city.

No penalty is attached to the failure to file sworn statements, nor is it provided who shall collect the one per cent. The franchisees simply read that the companies shall pay semi-annually one per cent of the gross receipts as shown by the sworn statement of the officers of the companies.

It is difficult to find out how the collection of this tax came to fall into innumerable default. Certainly nobody makes a demand upon the Transit Company for it, and nobody seems to

William E. Dargie, President.

BOOKER WASHINGTON'S WISDOM

After tomorrow we will know what Tobin is to be.

It seems that Mr. Schmitz received a dispensation from a pair of walking delegates to violate the principles of the union. Why the discrimination? How are such dispensations obtained?

STOMACH BITTERS

Thomas Scott: Miss Florence Field, niece of Marshall Field, and stepdaughter of Thomas Nelson Page, and Miss Marion Scott, daughter of Marshall Field and Mrs. Starr, and daughter of Senator John P. Jones of Nevada.

Miss Helen Roosevelt, who is the cousin of the President's daughter, will also be present. Her mother is Mrs. William S. Cowles. Miss Roosevelt is the daughter of Mr. J. Roosevelt-Roosevelt and the grand-daughter of the late William Astor. She will participate in all the work of the Washington and will undoubtedly be one of the reigning belles of the season.—Washington Letter.

Native—Wa a! n.o; but we'd be dead-willin' ter learn. Hey, barkeep! Give us a deck o'v cards!—Puck.

A Bed of Beautiful Coals

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KIDNEY & LIVER
BITTERS
A PLEASANT LAXATIVE
NOT INTOXICATING

of answers a handsome prize, which was won by Eddie Egbert, was given. The programs were very daintily gotten up by Miss Marguerite Gunn, who sketched on the outside cover of each some dainty musical conceit. Following are the pieces rendered from opus

.....	Dovle Bernstein.
Song of the Reaper, No. 18.....	.....
Collection of the Play, No. 25.....	.....
.....	Bernstein.
Knight Rapier, No. 1.....	.....
War Song, No. 31.....	.....
.....	Edmund Bernstein.
Wild Horsemen, No. 4.....	.....
Southern Song, No. 41.....	.....
.....	Dellie Egbert.
Hayloft Song, No. 1.....	.....
Ballad's Song, No. 37.....	.....
.....
The Rider's Story, No. 2.....	.....
Song of Italian Mariner, No. 36.....	.....
.....	Fred Lewis.
Folk Song, No. 2.....
In Memoriam, No. 2.....
.....	Marta Mikhin.

By request, at the conclusion of the

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Washed down a telegraph line which Chas. C. Ellis of Lisbon, Ia., had to repair. "Standing waist deep in icy water," he writes, "I gave me a terrible cold and cough. It grew worse daily. Finally I was taken to the hospital. Now, Steve and Emma, said I had 'consumption' and I could not live. Then I began singing 'My Saviour, My Saviour' and the angels came and took me home." Patients quarantined for Coughs, Colds and all Throat and Lung troubles by Depled Bros., corner Seventh and Broadway. Prices 5c.

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Sea Foam—young—tender—2 for 25c reg'ly 15c can dozen \$1 40

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Baby olives stuffed with peppers 3 bots 50c

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Spanish red peppers—2 for 25c reg'ly 15c and 25c can 20c

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Deer foot farm—a luncheon novelty—reg'ly 35c can 2 for 55c

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New catch—reg'ly 12 1/2c can 10c

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Sweet pickled—California—reg'ly 45c quart 35c

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French or Italian—reg'ly 60c quart bottle 50c

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D.C.I.—nothing finer—reg'ly \$1 full quart 90c

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Reliable—3 star—reg'ly \$1 50 bottle \$1 20

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Mountain vineyard—reg'ly \$1 gallon—rich fruit flavor 65c

Cherries

In marasquin—Dandicolle—French—reg'ly 60c large bottle 55c

Towel bars

Nickle plated—18 in long 75c durable 24 " 85c

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White Clematis—reg'ly 25c box of 3 cakes—latest change in toilet soap 20c

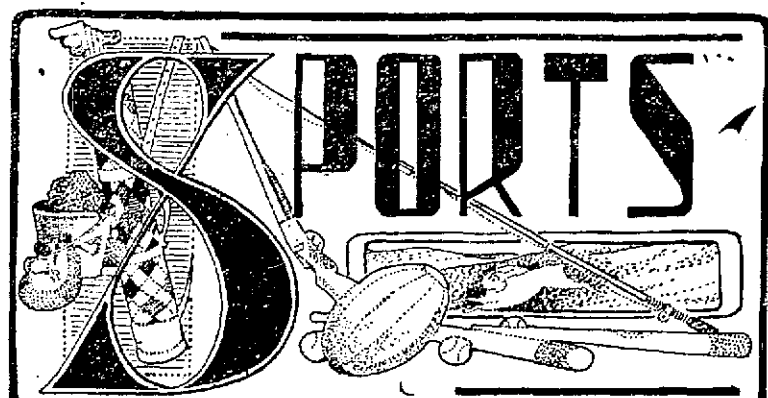
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By J. W. LANGFORD.

THE TURF.

When the horses fresh from Montana made their appearance on the program of the State Fair at Sacramento last September many things were said and promised about what they would do and what an easy matter it would be for them to dispose of racing fields of class and pretensions. Well, the Montana horses, the Kitty Kelly's and other stake winners from the copper region, started at Sacramento, and at the local small meeting, but they were not high, low Jack in the game and were soon forgotten. Perhaps the dismal failure of the exploded hot things at the time mentioned had something to do with the absence of thought or mention of Montana Saturday at Emeryville until Doublet galloped away from a field of the best sprinters we have here, and then there was a buzz of voices in the betting ring and paddocks, and about all one could hear was Montana.

Dope books were consulted and the wisest memories ransacked for previous performances of horses coming here from Montana. When the Opening Handicap was reached it was decided by the wise division that it was about time for another crack from the high altitude to show up, and while the local enthusiasts were sending their money and good wishes in on the Burns and Waterhouse stable, the fellows who had the Montana tip were flooding the ring with Hagerdon money, and you know the rest. Hagerdon won, and the two best performances of the afternoon went to Montana horses.

It was a fine day's sport and greatly enjoyed by a large representation from Oakland. Yellow Tail was rather a disappointment, but he is not himself. Captain Rackett was on hand with a large following of friends.

John Troy, the bookmaker who came here from Memphis, Tenn., at the request of Rainey and Driscoll to make the field books this winter, took his departure for New Orleans yesterday, the firm that employed him having surrendered the field book privilege. Mr. Troy had booked for years in the Crescent city, and his home is there. On his way South he will spend some time in Southern California, his first stop being in Los Angeles. It cost Rainey and Driscoll two hundred and fifty dollars for Troy's trip, and as the bookmaker brought his whole family, consisting of his wife and four children, he suffered some financial loss himself through the displacement.

Jim Davis, who is the controlling spirit of the Alhambra Club, was the first bookmaker to put up the odds in every race Saturday, and all the pencils in the ring gracefully followed his lead. Mr. Davis is also interested in the combination book and makes the prices quoted by that book in the combination odds. It was noticeable that there was very little change in the odds Saturday except the natural lengthening out of the quotations against the long shots.

There were thirteen books on beside the combination and two field books, and the sight of some of the old familiar faces that have been battling in the East all summer back again with us made the time feel as if it was only last month they left us. We will never have another meeting run into June, and therefore the time will never again seem so short between seasons. Johnny Coleman had his old smile and his red top shone as brightly as ever. He was kept as busy renewing old acquaintances as he was taking bets.

School for Scandal ran a remarkable race in the first event. She was badly interfered with, but came through the stretch like a whirlwind. She will do to watch.

In the same race Naira G. performed well. She was also interfered with, but she only beaten five lengths by Frank Bell.

Jimmy Coffey appears to be in a bad streak of luck. If anything goes wrong with the track today it seems to come from Coffey's stable. Saturday his Shannon threw his jockey and ran away. Coffey has the horse now.

BASE BALL

What is the matter with our Oakland ball players? Can it be possible that a secret understanding, tacit or otherwise, exists to play as a team when Moskinon pitches and as individuals on any old way when others handle the sphere? The score of recent games indicates that something more than bad luck and bad play is afloat in the air. The Oakland boys made nine hits, or only six hits being scored on his delivery, and those scattered, yet being charged up, three runs were scored. The Oakland boys made nine hits, or only three more than their adversaries, but could only score once, seven men being left on base.

The bad playing is charged to Cal Ewing, whose management is held up to criticism when he does not deserve it. He has been unfortunate in placing his confidence in men who have abused it. Ewing pays his men well and never complains or seeks impossible tasks of them, and yet is a strict disciplinarian. Those who know him will attest that he does not lose his courage because defeat stares him in the face, and he believes his men should play just as good ball at the tail end with no chance of improving their position as if they were in the lead. Their salaries go on just the same, the public pay the same admission at the gate, and they should

give the best they have at all times and hold the confidence of the public and the manager. This is the only way the wages paid them. This the ball players are not doing. They are abusing Ewing's confidence and injuring his business by neglecting everything with a particle of interest in the game.

The team lost again yesterday, but with "Doc" Moskman doing the twirling and 14 hits made off his delivery, the team worked so nicely together that only three errors were made and those all charged to one man, Moskinon, who played at second base. In the morning game in the Southern City Schmidt pitched and five errors were made, half of the men not counting the pitcher contributing the bad plays. The team managed to bat out six runs in the last two innings, but Jorgas all over the lot, and won out score 7 to 1. San Francisco won two games from Sacramento yesterday. The morning game on this side was tied, but in the afternoon the Wasps getting through the game without an error.

GOLF.

Anybody imbued with the belief that it requires a taste to become a golf enthusiast should pay the links of the Oakland Golf Club, near the Piedmont Power house, a visit any bright Sunday morning and watch Bob Fitzgerald or Fred Stratton or any of the golf experts drive the ball up over a long hill or over fences and trees to the green swath where the hole nests. Will Jurgens, Fred Auerbach and the writer followed George De Golia and another gentleman over the long course yesterday like three little yellow dogs and walked two miles over hills and all sorts of obstructions before we woke up at the pretty club house where we started. Messrs. Stratton, Fitzgerald and Johnson then came along and Jurgens started to follow them. Their work was beautiful, but I was lit out and ready for a rest on the cozy veranda of the club house.

That the sport is healthful as well as fascinating is attested by the appearance of many of the 150 active members of the club. Their sunburned faces, easy action and quick step distinguishes them from the followers of any other outdoor sport, for it requires a step, an active eye and skillful arms to be a golf player. A trip to the local links will also be sufficient to prove that the game is not confined to society folks, as is most generally believed, and they are not the best players. The little caddies when little can always be found driving the ball and some of the boys are very expert.

It is peculiar how much outdoor exercise can be gained at the game without tiring or appreciating that much ground has been covered and most of the day used up. Mr. W. K. Koles, the banker, who is a first class player, never misses a day on the links and makes from four to six trips over the long course every time he strips for the play. The links are only a few hundred yards short of two miles. Edwin Goodall, partner of Senator Perkins, who is also in his sixtieth year, is one of the most enthusiastic players in the world. Every Saturday and Sunday he can be found on the links, and he averages eight circuits of the long course every time he plays. Geo. W. McNeur, the gun king, is very fond of the game, and his sons are often found driving the ball. Among the other business men who play more or less during the week are Captain Minor Goodall, A. Shilling, the old war, W. H. Harris of the Pacific Union Club of San Francisco, who comes daily to our links for a game, W. L. Hutchinson, A. H. Higgins, J. H. Ames and W. P. Johnson.

The university professors at Berkeley are also greatly interested in golf. Professors Elliott and Bayley are among the daily visitors to the club, and we have not yet been classed among the experts, both play a pretty stiff game.

BOXING.

HARLIN SPRINGS, Nov. 4.—Jim Jeffries is already in excellent condition for the coming contest in San Francisco. The tall pugilist never worked so hard in his life, and his looks certainly show the result of long runs and walks over the mountain paths in this vicinity. His manager, Billy Delaney, returned to-day from San Francisco, whither he journeyed to sign a contract for the moving pictures. Delaney is anxious to see Jeffries take on some weight, and had a conference with the champion on his visit to the city. Delaney learned that Rubin had taken on twenty pounds since coming to California, and for that reason he is anxious to see his man take on as much flesh as he can and still be in good fettle.

William Naughton, the sporting writer from Chicago, and Homer Davonport, the renowned caricaturist from New York, were here to-day securing material for spreads in the Frisco, Chicago and New York papers. Naughton was strongly impressed with the appearance of Jeffries, and he looks forward to a great battle. The journalist has great respect for Rubin and he remarked: "On the night of the 15th of November the followers of the ring will see the greatest heavyweight contest of modern times, or I will be greatly disappointed."

Before Delaney left here for Harlin Springs last week he said he thought Jeff would be ready to leave there for Oakland on the 10th, which means he give him five days of gymnasium work before the contest. Now it begins to look as if the big fellow will break camp at the Springs some time during the early part of the week and reach us sooner than at first intended. His appearance here will be the

GAVE HIM A PURSE OF GOLD.

Rev. C. M. Hill Well Treated by His People in East Oakland.

A reception was tendered Friday night to Rev. C. M. Hill and wife in honor of the eighth anniversary of Dr. Hill's pastorate. A large number of guests and members were present. O. M. Vesper presided. Three delightful numbers were rendered by the church quartet, consisting of Mrs. Henderson, Miss Ethel Bates, Mr. Katzenbach and Mr. A. C. Read. Rev. R. C. Brooks offered the congratulations of the neighboring churches. Rev. J. R. Vossberg spoke for the Baptist churches, and Byrnie Hamilton, Mrs. Adams expressed the warmest terms the love and esteem of the members for the past eight years. The pastor presented a well filled purse of gold. The ladies gave Mr. Hill a beautiful bouquet of chrysanthemums. The pastor responded, expressing his gratitude to the church and to the ladies, and especially for the presentation of the people during his pastorate.

signal for a big boost and surely put the sports on the anxious seat for the night of the fight.

for sale at Berwick's, Twelfth and Broadway, Wednesday.

COURSING.

A large crowd attended Melrose park yesterday to enjoy the coursing. Forty-eight dogs contested in the open stake and some fast and long courses resulted. Lady Clair managed to get through the ties to the final with Concha, whom she defeated easily.

Following are the results:

Zamar won from Penicilia Boy.

Ladylike from from Little M.

Yellow Tail won from Warpath.

Mount Ida won from Alabama Con.

Toronto won from Dorothy Belle.

Alden Girl won from Gray Cloud.

King's Borderer won from Slay-away.

Shooter won from Nora Lawrence.

Swedish Imp won from Tired Out.

Long Mountain won from Little May.

Roxana won from Moor.

Banita won from Springbok.

Banita won from K. C. Catol.

Terronette won from Half Moon.

Daisy Clair won from Admiral Sampson.

Onward won from Scottish Chief.

Prairie Maid won from from Vortex.

Dorothy M. won from California.

Little Lucy won from Prairie Prince.

Concha won from Master Wholen.

Warrior won from Nora Lawrence.

Lily Wright won from My Bonnie King.

Rager won from Lady Newark.

SECOND TIE.

Ladylike won from Zamar.

Mount Ida won from Yellowtail.

Alden Girl won from Toronto.

Veto won from King's Borderer.

Swedish won from Shoot Over.

Long Mountain won from Roxana.

Sara won from Bonita.

Daisy Clair won from Terronette.

Onward won from Prairie Maid.

Little Lucy won from Dorothy M.

Concha won from Vortex.

Lady Wright won from Eager.

THIRD TIE.

Mount Ida won from Ladylike.

Veto won from Alden Girl.

Long Mountain won from Swedish.

Concha won from Vortex.

Little Lucy won from Onward.

Concha won from Lady Wright.

FOURTH TIES.

Veto won from Mount Ida.

Daisy Clair won from Long Mountain.

Concha won from Little Lucy.

FIFTH TIES.

Daisy Clair won from Veto.

Concha won from Sara.

FINAL.

Daisy Clair won from Concha.

The next draw will take place Thursday night at No. 3 Golden Gate avenue and will be an open stake for forty-eight days.

SWIMMING.

The swimming contests at the Piedmont Baths yesterday afternoon attracted a large crowd. Owing to C. Liebrandt's illness he was unable to swim against Clyde Hawthorne for the 100 yard coast championship.

Following are the winners of the contests:

Pifty yard dash, the eleven Forrest and Hufschmidt, to be contested again next Sunday.

Boys' handicap, 100 yards, won by A. Oberg. Time 1:32.

Two hundred and twenty yards relay race, won by Hufschmidt's team. Time 2:25.

Diving for plates, won by Simpson.

High diving won by Forrest.

Spring board diving won by A. Oberg.

STUDENTS GIVE CLEVER MINSTREL SHOW.

The students of the Oakland High school gave a highly successful minstrel entertainment in the gymnasium last Saturday night, the proceeds going to the athletic fund of the school.

The chorus consisted of H. High Gutterston, H. Kid Baxter, C. Lucius Irish, R. Eminent Nelson, L. Newfangled Bliss, L. Hoosier Briggs, R. Politicus Merritt, M. Hungry Weston, W. Polka-Dot Roop, C. Runt McKilligan, R. Lean Cunningham, H. Marvel Kinney, G. Frivolous Vesper, Sunshine Howard, R. Laxy Mike, V. Nuts Taylor, E. Wearisome Englebright.

The following acquitted themselves with credit in specialties: Harry E. Leach, D. Schwartz, E. Hughes, P. Irwin, R. Prater, Andrew Summers, A. H. Shirk, Miss Boutetous, Miss Weber and Messrs. Barrett, McVey and Keith.

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BOILERS EXPLODE AT ELMHURST POWERHOUSE.

THREE MEN INJURED IN THE ACCIDENT — BUILDING IS SHATTERED.

Two of the boilers in the power house of the Oakland, San Leandro and Hayward electric line exploded last night about 8 o'clock and demolished the structure in which they were located. Three employees were injured, the others escaping in an almost miraculous manner.

The injured ones are: John Allenson, the engineer, who was struck on the chest by a piece of boiler plate and on the head by a brick; Michael Victor, the fireman, who was struck on the head by a brick, and William Ford, a machinist, who was standing about 200 feet away from the boiler and who was knocked down by the concussion and sustained a broken leg as the result of a blow from a brick.

When the explosion took place, Superintendent McLeneghan was talking to Machinist Ford. As soon as he heard the noise of the explosion he threw himself beneath an electric car and thus escaped flying bricks which shattered the windows of the car and some of which struck Ford.

Engineer Allenson said he was standing in the engine room when the explosion

took place. He was knocked down by the debris which fell around him. The boilers were known as Heine tubular boilers and were built at the Edison Works about nine years ago. They were inspected a month ago and pronounced safe.

William Stewart and C. Ross, who were at work in the receiver's office, escaped uninjured, although they had to crawl through an amount of debris which the explosion threw into their department.

Victor, the injured fireman, makes the following statement:

"The boilers have been overcrowded for some time, and it was that which caused the explosion. I had my orders, however, from E. T. Johnson, the chief engineer of this division of the Oakland Transit Company, and I was compelled to obey them."

The damage caused by the explosion will amount to \$20,000.

Hourly service is being given to Hayward today instead of half-hour service as is usual. Private and other cars are running the same as usual.

CITY TREASURER'S WESTERN UNION FINE OFFICE PLAYS QUILTS.

Felton Taylor Makes an Excellent Showing on a Small Expenditure. Would Not Stand a Raise in Rates at the Emeryville Track.

City Treasurer Felton Taylor has expended the \$100 allowed by the Council for the repair and refitting of the Treasurer's office in a very intelligent and judicious way. Although the sum of money at the disposal of the treasurer was very small the results have been large. The antiquated desks and counters which heretofore occupied the space allotted to the treasurer's office in the City Hall have given way to counters of modern design and a business-like finish.

On entering the office the entire place presents a business-like aspect, the arrangement of the desks, windows and counters being very similar to the appointments of a first-class bank. The dilapidated and worn out appearance that one is apt to expect in an office, the manager of which is subject to the vicissitudes of politics, is totally lacking. The improvements are so ready and neat that Treasurer Taylor is certainly entitled to credit for the way in which he has expended the public money. The taxpayer during the remaining days of tax-paying will certainly reap the benefit of the convenient arrangement of the various departments. The accommodations are equal to those of a bank as far as convenience is concerned.

There are five windows in the wire railing running along the counters. Three of these are devoted to the receipt of taxes, each being presided over by a courteous deputy. The other two windows are given to warrants and licenses. Each window has a brass sign hung over it denoting the character of the business that may be transacted there.

That the new facilities for handling the city's business have been allied to the treasury department is most opportune. The tax bills were three weeks late this year, almost doubling the work of Mr. Taylor and his deputies. There are but twenty-five remaining days before taxes become delinquent. With his present orderly and systematic arrangement of things Taylor anticipates being able to handle the taxes within that time, although extra work will be imposed on all the deputies. For the last few nights the business of filing the tax bills has been so heavy that the deputies and Treasurer Taylor have been compelled to work as late as 11 o'clock in the evening.

Taxes thus far have been coming in.

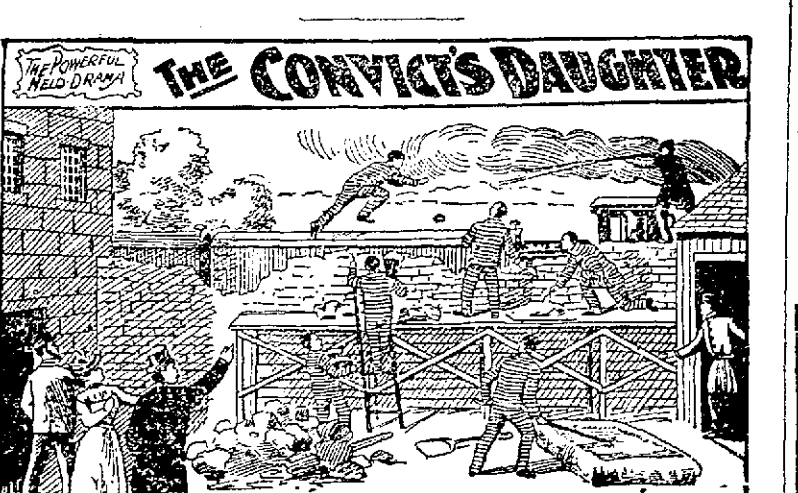
OLD MAN ENDS LIFE WHILE DESPONDENT.

John W. Barney, a carpenter, aged 87 years, committed suicide by firing a bullet into his brain last evening at his residence, 1221 Filbert street. He was found by his son, Charles L. Barney, shortly after the fatal shot. Feebleness and ill health are supposed to be the causes of the suicide.

Cutter's Place

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NEW PLAY AT THE MACDONOUGH THEATRE.



"The Convict's Daughter," which will be remembered as one of the most successful productions, both financially and artistically, of last season, will be seen again at the Macdonough Wednesday and Thursday nights, and it is safe to say that packed houses will be the rule. William De Shetley plays the tramp this season, and the scenery and mechanical effects are new. From first to last, "The Convict's Daughter" is bright and well written. There are moments of delightful comedy abounding with witty conversation, carried on in a charming manner. The romantic incidents are sympathetic and true to nature, and never fail to take a firm grip on the hearts of the audience. The location of the play (Kentucky) gives ample opportunity for a number of dramatic incidents, while the production from a scenic standpoint leaves nothing to be desired.

CIRCULAR TO EBELL LADIES.

Will Raise the Money to Furnish Children's Room in the Library.

The following circular has been issued by the Ebells:

At a special meeting of Ebells, held October 28, 1901, it was decided to try to raise the money to finish and furnish the children's room in the new library building.

The president was requested to send a circular to each member, explaining the situation and asking for a contribution of not less than five dollars towards this object before December 1, 1901.

By the report of the chairman of the Children's Library Committee it was shown that the chairman and secretary of the original committee, acting for the Ebells Library Trustees, had requested the Board of Library Trustees to leave the room unfinished and had promised not less than \$5,000 to finish and furnish the same. This request was granted by the Library Trustees and the Carnegie money was expended upon the rest of the building.

Without doubt, the chairman and secretary of the committee had confidence in their ability to raise the money and did not expect to call upon Ebells to contribute. But their plans appear to have failed, the Trustees are now ready to proceed to finish the work and the money is not forthcoming.

At the meeting it was held that the society was not legally bound by the action of the committee because such action had not been approved by two-thirds of the members. Still the Club was felt to be under a moral obligation to complete the children's room, as for two years it had been so understood, and no stone is to be laid to repudiate the action of the committee. Ebells, however, assumed no indebtedness and made no promise that pledges the Society to any fixed sum.

Five dollars from each member equals \$2,000. This with the \$1,400 already collected amounts to nearly \$3,500. The rest of the money, \$1,500, it is thought can easily be raised by subscription or by entertainments.

Fellow members of Ebells, you are urged to make this effort for the children of Oakland. Do not allow that unfinished room to stand as a silent reproach to our Club, for unless the work is undertaken by Ebells it cannot be accomplished for years.

The subscription list is now open at the home of Mrs. E. T. Johnson, the sum of \$2,000 representing the Ebells members will soon be completed.

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REMOVAL.

E. L. Sargent's sewing machine store has removed to No. 463 Twelfth street. Telephone black 171.

Washing of a Bottle.

Is a very ordinary transaction. But it is not at all easy to wash a milk bottle and have it absolutely pure and free from all taint inside and out. At the Oakland Canning People's bottle washing is done scientifically and each bottle is treated so thoroughly that it almost seems like overdoing it—only we know that milk bottles must be hot, clean, Eighteenth and Telegraph avenue.

Palm Garden Restaurant

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